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IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the abstract as follows:

--~~The invention concerns a~~ A method for bactericidal, fungicidal, virucidal and insecticidal treatment of ambient air. ~~Said method consists in~~ includes circulating air (1) through a permeable container ~~wherein is placed~~ having at least a treating agent therein. The ~~invention is characterised in that the~~ treating agent (2) is used as bactericide, fungicide, virucide and insecticide additionally to mechanical air filtering, and is distributed uniformly inside the container (4) so as to prevent micro-organisms from developing on the container itself. The ~~invention is applicable~~ method may be applied to caloric-exchanging and air-recycling installations and appliances, and to coating elements of building surfaces.--